

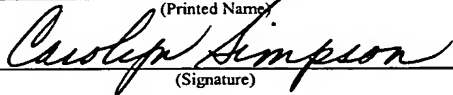


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- ☒ Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (15 pages).
- ☒ Formal drawings (3 sheets, Figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9).
- ☒ Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76).

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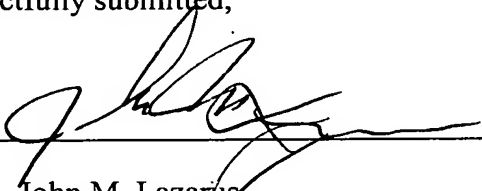
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